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SOME OBJECTIONS TO HOUSTON GUANO CO. BUILDING ON OLD SITE

Petition was Before Council Asking That It Not Allow the Rebuilding of the Plant Which Recently Burned—No Action Taken.

The Houston Guano Co, whose plant was burned a few days ago, is encountering some objections to their rebuilding on the same site Some of the property owners, and tenants of buildings in the block adjoining the plant, had petitioned the council to prevent the rebuilding of the plant on the grounds that it was a nuisance

Mr J R Faircloth president of the factory, was before the council and made a short talk He showed them that it was not the intention of the company to permanently locate their plant on the same site and that it would entail quite a loss now to move out the material on hand to another site at this season of the year He thought that all the people who had objected to the plant knew that the plant was there, and in operation before the located on the block adjoining in as much as the plant had been there ten or fifteen years

The motion was put a time or two but some question was raised about the right to vote by the councilmen putting the motion, on account of being interested in the company so the motions were finally withdrawn leaving the matter just as it was before it was presented

Councilman Pilcher who was opposed to the rebuilding stated that he had it straight from some of the property owners, that unless the council took action any movement to rebuild would be stopped by injunction

Councilmen Erelle and Garner were both of the opinion that it would be unfair to the company to hold them up at this time and both gave their reasons for it The thought that it would mean a financial loss that could be avoided

As the matter stands if it's held up, it will be done by injunction for it seems to be a matter that the council will hardly take action on now

CONVICT USED AUTO AT HIS WORK UNTIL A PARDON CAME

Former Saloon Keeper, Convicted of Violating the Prohibition Law and Sentenced for Contempt, Sat at Wheel in Stripes

Decatur, Ala Sept 16—Jerry Tarpey former saloonkeeper who O neal convicted of violating the prohibition laws used his automobile in riding out from the county jail to do road work as a convict and in returning to his cell at night He wore the regulation convict stripes, while sitting at his steering wheel and often carried fellow prisoners as passengers

Tarpey was pardoned by the Governor following his being sentenced to roadwork by Judge Wert for contempt of court Convicted recently of violating the prohibition laws Tarpey was paroled by the Governor He is then said to have twitted the judge reminding him that the Governor was mightier than a judge Judge Wert took exception to this and imposed the sentence for contempt

The former saloonkeeper served a few days riding in his automobile and wearing stripes until his full pardon was granted Tarpey owns considerable property

PROGRAM OF BAPTIST JUBILATE ASSOCIATION MEETING FRIDAY 19TH FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Hours 10 to 12 a m and 2 30 to 4 30 p m

Morning devotional exercises and opening remarks by the Association Superintendent—Mrs G H Malone

Song—I Gave My Life for Thee

History of the Woman's Missionary Union Auxiliary to Southern Baptist Convention—Mrs George Campbell

"In the King's Service"—Mrs G E Jackson

Reports from the different Societies represented

Doxology and closing prayer

Afternoon

Devotional exercises conducted by Mrs Stewart

A talk on Our Spiritual Need by Mrs E H Jennings

Duet—Mesdames Cotton and Blackshear

A Prophecy of Growth—Mrs J W Partridge

Story—Brothers in Christ—Mrs R D Blackshear

Remarks from visitors

Closing prayer

Social meeting

The ladies from the other churches are cordially invited to attend this meeting should they desire to do so, but we especially urge our own members to be present and take part in the meeting and make it a success

Mrs G H Malone
Associate Supt

Dothan Chapter No 117 Regular convocations held 2nd and 4th Friday nights Visiting companions accorded a warm welcome.
Chester W. Newton, H. P.
L. G. Biggers, Sec'y.

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C. A. Burke, Mgr.

COST OF LIVING IS CONTINUEING TO CLIMB HIGHER

Retail Prices June 15th Nearly 15 Per Cent Higher Than Two Years Ago

Washington Sept 16—The cost of living on June 15th was approximately 60 per cent higher than the average between 1890 and 1900 more than 3 per cent higher than it was a year ago and nearly 15 per cent higher than it was two years ago

Investigations of retail prices in 40 cities conducted by experts of the bureau of labor show prices practically at the same level as last November when the high records of the last quarter century were reached

Fifteen articles of food were investigated and compared with the average prices between 1890 and 1900

Every article except sugar showed a marked advance

Bacon which led in the soaring went up 128 5 per cent

Other articles which showed remarkable advances were

Pork chops 111 per cent pound steak 10.5 smoked ham 84 hens 76 5 sirloin steak 75 2 rib roast 75 lard 66 5 corn meal 57 4 potatoes 44 4 butter 43 3 eggs 40 8 milk 32 4 and flour 28 6

I have a lot of ferns on hand too many to winter and would sell some at a bargain Mrs Jno A May 309 E Lafayette St 417

POOR JACK COOMBS GOES TO HOSPITAL

Connie Mack's Star Pitcher is Having Tough Time—May be Placed in Plaster Case This Week—Had Typhoid Fever

Philadelphia Pa Sept 16

Jack Coombs star pitcher of the Athletics Baseball Club and hero of two world's series is in the University Hospital Muscles of the pitcher's back weakened by a recent attack of typhoid fever, physicians say were unable to stand the strain in his attempt to work into condition and he may be placed into a plaster cast for several weeks

Physicians at the hospital say that in rare instances following a severe attack of typhoid fever muscles of the body have been known to stretch An X ray photograph of the injured muscles will be taken today and a final decision made as to the need for the cast

LABOR GETS HIGH PAY FOR SHORTER HOURS

Washington Sept 16—There was a steady increase in the scale of wages paid to labor in this country in the past six years This was accomplished in the face of a steady reduction in the working hours of labor

The Department of Labor reports that labor now is receiving more renumeration for fewer hours of toil than ever before

The figures are based on comparisons of union wage scale agreements trade union reports and working compacts in central cities throughout the United States from 1907 to 1912

DOTHAN CAMP NO 131, W O W

Meets second and fourth Tuesday nights over Nix's Drug Store All qualified Sovereigns are invited to meet with us.
H K Martin, C C.
W. J Darden, Clerk

THOUSANDS FOLLOW BODY OF "BIGTIM" TO IT'S GRAVE

Men in Silk Hats Rub Shoulders With Bowery Tramps and Women in Silks and Furs Mingle With the Poorly Clad

New York Sept 15 Big Tim Sullivan passed through the streets of the East Side for the last time today His body was taken today to the old Cathedral of St Patrick a short quarter of a mile from the rooms of the Association which bears his name and where it had lain in state since Saturday

Tens of thousands of men and women from every section of New York had gazed on his features there and a throng such as only the East Side can furnish followed it today to the cathedral and to it last resting place in Calvary Cemetery Brooklyn

A delegation of Congressmen headed by Representative Kinkead of New Jersey led the mourners Behind this delegation marched the longest funeral train the East Side has ever seen The streets through which they passed were somber with crepe draped on the elevated shop windows

The Timothy D Sullivan Association sent its thousands to march behind the body of its standard bearer to the cemetery Dozens of other East Side organizations and the army of the Bowery's poor also were in line

Seldom has the East Side mourned more eloquently In the strain that pressed by his bier as the body lay in state men in silk hats rubbed shoulders with Bowery tramps and women in silks and furs mingled with their poorly clad sisters from the tenements

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED

As one of the tangible results of the lectures of Dr Eaves of Birmingham at the High School last week a tuberculosis campaign will be launched in Houston county At a meeting of citizens held on the day following the lectures Mr W R Chapman was elected temporary chairman of a committee on permanent organization and a resolution was passed calling a mass meeting of the citizens of Dothan and Houston county at the reading rooms of the Y M C A building in the Williams building opposite the post office Thursday evening at seven o clock for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization and adopting plans of operation

As the health of a community is one of its greatest assets and as tuberculosis is one of the most fatal universal and at the same time insidious diseases with which mankind is afflicted the lessening of its depredations in a community makes for better health of the inhabitants of that community This disease is responsible for a greater number of deaths than any other in the whole category and none other creeps into the vitals of a man or nation so imperceptibly Thousands of people are afflicted with it and do not know it until cure is beyond the skill of the most efficient physicians and the patient can do nothing to save his or her life The disease spreads through ignorance and carelessness both of which are almost criminal in this age of enlightenment The campaign proposed will be one of education in order that the ignorant may know and will put a check on the individual who is criminally careless

Every citizen of Dothan interested in the welfare of the community and the betterment of health conditions should attend the meeting Thursday evening Many prominent citizens professional and otherwise have already pledged their support of the movement and a determined effort will be made to bring the campaign to the highest state of efficiency

TELEPHONE LINEMAN KILLS 3 PEOPLE

Separated from His Wife He Slays Her Father Her Mother and Brother

Memphis Tenn Sept 16—After killing the father mother and brother of his wife at the former's home when they declined to permit him to see his wife D E Baxter aged 30 years calmly reloaded his shot gun and walked from the scene this forenoon

Posses and police engaged in a search of the city They failed to find any clues to the whereabouts of Baxter

The dead are Henry Smith Mrs Henry Smith 45 Owen Smith aged 17

The man had been separated from his wife for several months and shortly after 8 o clock went to the Smith home in the northern part of the city and demanded entrance

Smith answered the knock and after ordering Baxter away started to open the door when he received a charge of heavy shot in the face tearing away part of the head

The shooting attracted Mrs Smith and her son both of whom were shot in the face in the same manner,

Mrs Baxter also rushed into the room but when her husband grappled with her she slipped from his grasp and made her escape

Baxter who is a strong man is believed to be heavily armed and hiding somewhere in the northern part of the city

PRESIDENT SEES DAUGHTER ACT

Meridian N H Sept 16 President Wilson is intensely pleased today with the pastoral masque Sanctuary in which his youngest daughter Eleanor played the leading part The playlet by Percy Mackaye the poet was a protest *against the slaughter of birds for* millinery purposes

A lyrical prelude to the masque was sung by Margaret Wilson

With soft appealing tones Miss Wilson as Oriola the bird spirit *pleaded with the hunter to forsake* his rifle The sharp crack of a gun followed by a sudden fall of Oriola marked the climax of the piece Wounded and sobbing Oriola is consoled by the fauns, poet, dryad and naturalist who in the end convert the hunter to a bird lover

NEGRO TRIES TO ROB MRS C W PARKS

Huntsville Ala Sept 15—Mrs C W Parks, wife of the manager of a dramatic company was attacked by Miner Harris a negro, after the show Saturday night Harris was trying to rob the woman of diamonds which she wore in her ears The negro went behind the scenes and made a grab at Mrs Parks who screamed Members of the company went to her assistance One of the men knocked the negro down with a bottle He was captured

SCHUMANN HEINK'S SON WEDS WAITRESS

Patterson Sept, 16—Walter Schumann Heink son of the famous opera contralto was married in Chicago July 25 to Miss Daisy Marcus, until recently a waitress in the restaurant kept by her father The news of the marriage did not become public until today

Young Schumann Heink is an accountant

CITY COUNCIL PASSED THE WEBB ANTI-SHIPPING BILL LAST NIGHT

Regular Communication Pythagoras Lodge No 659 A F & A M this (Tuesday) evening, September 16th, at 7 30 o clock All qualified brethren invited to be present

E H Hill, W M
L O Biggers, Sec'y

CHILDREN OF EAST SIDE MOURN FOR MAYOR WILLIAM J. GAYNOR

Expressions of Sorrow and Sympathy Conveyed to Mrs. Gaynor in Letter, Speaking of Him as Champion of Weak and Defenseless,

New York Sept 16—The death of Mayor William J Gaynor has caused sorrow among the children of the East Side Expressions of their sorrow and sympathy were conveyed to Mrs Gaynor in a letter delivered Sunday at her Brooklyn home by a delegation of ten boys

The letter speaks of Mr Gaynor as "indeed a champion of the weak and defenseless"

It says his death is regarded by the East Side as an irreparable loss "

More than 1 000 children of the tenement district will participate in memorial services for Mayor Gaynor to be held Saturday afternoon in an East Side Park

There will be a parade of children each carrying a flag draped in black and a rose to be laid on the coffin of Mayor Gaynor at the city hall

Citizens of the Brownsville section of Brooklyn, a tenement district have organized a committee to raise a fund to build a monument in memory of Mayor Gaynor,

From the pulpits of many churches Sunday tributes were paid in sermons and prayers to the memory of Mayor Gaynor At a score of churches it was announced that sermons dealing with the life and attainments of the late mayor would be preached next Sunday These sermons will be delivered while the body of Mayor Gaynor lies in state at the city hall

FOR SALE at a Bargain—$35 hammerless 20 gauge gun fitted with automatic shell ejectors and ivory sights Built to order for bird shooting B W Clendinen & Co 417

HOUSTON'S GINNING RECORD SHOWS GAIN OVER LAST YEAR

To Sept, 1st, 1912, 2,226 Bales; This Year, to September 1st, 3,607 Bales.

Mr John M Dykes, of Dothan Route 3, special agent for Houston County for the Department of Commerce and Labor, of the Census Bureau sends The Eagle the following

Editor The Dothan Eagle,
Dothan, Ala

Dear Sir

The Director of the Census has requested me to furnish you with the ginning returns for Houston county to dates of Sept 1st, 1913 and 12 with request that you publish same *There were ginned in this county from crop of 1913 3 607 bales prior to Sept 1st as compared with 2 226 bales ginned prior to Sept 1st, 1912*

Very respectfully,
JOHN M DYKES,
Special Agent,

A E Killebrew, of Newton was in the city Monday looking after business interests.

After Numerous Delays on Account of Failure of Members, to Be Present Bill Had Gone Over For Weeks,

At a special meeting of the city council this morning, the Webb anti-shipping bill was passed. It was first brought up some several weeks ago, but escaped a vote on one pretext or another, and was put off from time to time Some of the members would be absent when the time would come for voting on it, and last night, being a regular meeting night, the matter was to have come up again Not enough of the members were present to act on the matter, and other matters had to come up this morning, at a special meeting, so the Webb bill was put up and passed,

Mr J R Crawford, and Rev. H. T. Johnson both made a short talk to the council, urging its passage, and told them that it was the duty of the council to pass it. As it now becomes effective in Dothan, and what the results will be, remains yet to be seen.

SAILOR, MISSING HEIR, LEFT $50,000 FORTUNE AND GOES TO CLAIM IT

Duluth, Minn, Sept 16—Charles Rowe, a sailor who has been sought as a missing heir during the 20 years he has worked on Great Lakes freighters, learned today that a fortune of $50,000 awaits him in London, Ontario.

The fortune, known as the Rispen estate, was left him by a relative, John Rispen, once a sailor,

Rowe left at once to claim the fortune,

NOTICE.

The Southeast Alabama Poultry and Pet Stock Association will meet at the Council Chamber 7:30 next Friday night, September 19th. All members and others who want to help in promoting the Poultry and Pet Stock industry of Southeast Alabama will meet with the Association or send their names for membership We are going to have a show later on and you want to be there with your poultry and stock.

R. W. Lisenby,
T. A. Ward,
Secretaries.

MAYOR GAYNOR LEFT MORE THAN A MILLION

New York, Sept, 16.—Mayor Gaynor was reputed to be a millionaire at the time of his death. Estimates varied from $750,000 up to $1,000,000, but it was creditably reported that he was worth more than $1,000,000,

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